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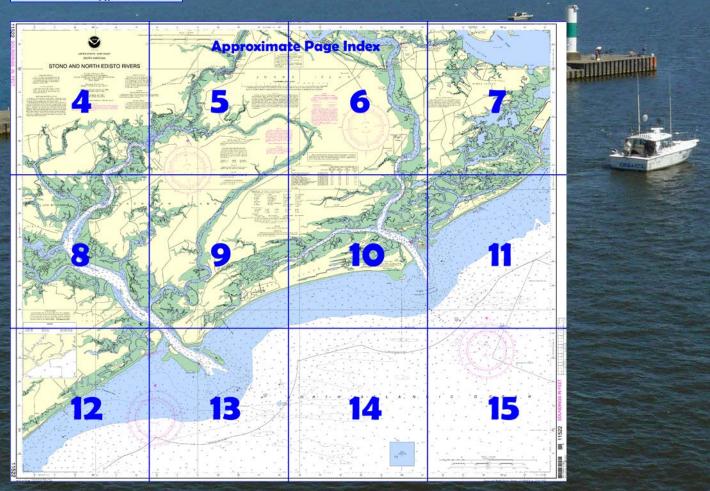
# Stono and North Edisto Rivers NOAA Chart 11522



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## What are Nautical Charts?

Nautical charts are a fundamental tool of marine navigation. They show water depths, obstructions, buoys, other aids to navigation, and much more. The information is shown in a way that promotes safe and efficient navigation. Chart carriage is mandatory on the commercial ships that carry America's commerce. They are also used on every Navy and Coast Guard ship, fishing and passenger vessels, and are widely carried by recreational boaters.

#### What is a BookletChart<sup>™</sup>?

This BookletChart is made to help recreational boaters locate themselves on the water. It has been reduced in scale for convenience, but otherwise contains all the information of the full-scale nautical chart. The bar scales have also been reduced, and are accurate when used to measure distances in this BookletChart. See the Note at the bottom of page 5 for the reduction in scale applied to this chart.

Whenever possible, use the official, full scale NOAA nautical chart for navigation. Nautical chart sales agents are listed on the Internet at <a href="http://www.NauticalCharts.NOAA.gov">http://www.NauticalCharts.NOAA.gov</a>.

This BookletChart does NOT fulfill chart carriage requirements for regulated commercial vessels under Titles 33 and 44 of the Code of Federal Regulations.

## **Notice to Mariners Correction Status**

This BookletChart has been updated for chart corrections published in the U.S. Coast Guard Local Notice to Mariners, the National Geospatial Intelligence Agency Weekly Notice to Mariners, and, where applicable, the Canadian Coast Guard Notice to Mariners. Additional chart corrections have been made by NOAA in advance of their publication in a Notice to Mariners. The last Notices to Mariners applied to this chart are listed in the Note at the bottom of page 7. Coast Pilot excerpts are not being corrected.

For latest Coast Pilot excerpt visit the Office of Coast Survey website at <a href="http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/searchbychart.php?chart=115">http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/searchbychart.php?chart=115</a> <a href="http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/searchbychart.php?chart=115">http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/searchbychart.php?chart=115</a> <a href="http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/searchbychart.php?chart=115">http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/searchbychart.php?chart=115</a> <a href="http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/searchbychart.php?chart=115">http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/searchbychart.php?chart=115</a> <a href="https://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/searchbychart.php?chart=115">https://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/searchbychart.php?chart=115</a> <a href="https://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/searchbychart.php?chart=115">https://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/searchbychart.php?chart=115</a> <a href="https://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/searchbychart.php?chart=115">https://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/searchbychart.php?chart=115</a> <a href="https://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/searchbychar



(Selected Excerpts from Coast Pilot)
Lighthouse Inlet (32°41.2'N., 79°53.0'W.),
between Morris Island and Folly Island has
no channel across the bar; entrance should
be attempted only with local knowledge on
a rising tide with a smooth sea. In June
1983, the reported controlling depth over
the bar and upstream to Secessionville was
3 feet; the inlet is unmarked and used only
by local fishermen. Small craft pass into
Charleston Harbor by way of Lighthouse
Creek and also into numerous sloughs

north of Folly Island.

**Stono Inlet**, 10 miles southwestward of Charleston Harbor entrance, is entered over a shifting bar between Folly Island and **Kiawah Island**. A

lighted gong buoy is southward of the entrance. The inlet is subject to continual change and should not be attempted without local knowledge. The entrance buoys are not charted, because they are frequently shifted in position to mark the best water. A fish haven, marked by a buoy and covered 15 feet, is in about 32°29.0'N., 80°00.3'W., about 5.6 miles southwestward of the drill minefield.

Stono River, which joins Stono Inlet from northward, is of little commercial importance except in its upper reach above Elliott Cut, where it forms part of the Intracoastal Waterway. In 2005, the reported controlling depth was 8.5 feet from inside the inlet bar for about 13 miles to a junction with the Intracoastal Waterway at Elliott Cut. Vessels usually enter the river by way of the waterway from Charleston. In the summer, numerous pleasure craft use Stono River and Folly River to reach Folly Beach. The highway bridge about a mile below Elliott Cut has a fixed span with an authorized clearance of 65 feet. An overhead power cable about 0.95 mile below the bridge has a clearance of 91 feet at the center of the river.

A marina on the west side of Stono River, just N of the highway bridge, provides berths with electricity, gasoline, diesel fuel, water, ice, marine supplies, pump-out station and wet storage. In 2009, 9 feet was reported alongside.

Folly River flows into Stono Inlet from the northeast and Kiawah River from the west. Both are relatively unimportant. Folly River is used by pleasure craft and local fishermen desiring to reach Folly Beach. A dredged channel, marked by lighted and unlighted buoys, leads about 2.3 miles upriver from the junction with Stono River at Bird Key. (See Notice to Mariners and latest edition of charts for controlling depths.) The dredged channel is subject to continual change. Local knowledge is advised when transiting the area. On the southeast side of the river about 2 miles above the entrance, a seafood plant has diesel fuel, water, ice, and marine supplies. State Route 171 highway bridge about 3.1 miles above the entrance has a fixed span with a clearance of 10 feet. An overhead power cable close eastward of the bridge has a clearance of 46 feet. Folly Creek enters Folly River from the north about 2.7 miles above the mouth. State Route 171 highway bridge about 2.9 miles above the creek mouth has a fixed span with a clearance of 10 feet. An overhead power cable at the bridge has a clearance of 40 feet and another overhead power cable 0.4 mile above the bridge has a clearance of 48

North Edisto River, about 10 miles southwestward of Stono Inlet and 20 miles southwestward of Charleston Harbor entrance, is of little commercial importance and rarely used. Shoals extend offshore from the entrance as much as 3 miles and form a shifting bar. Flats, which bare at low water and are continually changing in character, are on both sides of the entrance; caution is advised. In 1991, the reported controlling depth over the bar was 10 feet. The entrance is marked by a lighted whistle buoy, and the channel by a 314°lighted range and by buoys which are moved, when practicable, to indicate the best water. The entrance is well defined by breakers. A water tank about 1.7 miles northeastward of the entrance is prominent.

**Currents-** On the bar the direction of the current is generally across the channel. The flood current sets about westward, and the ebb eastward; both have considerable velocity. Inside the bar, in the channel between the breakers, the ebb current is to be guarded against, especially when it sets across the north breakers. Predicted currents for the North Edisto River entrance may be obtained from the Tidal Current Tables.

# U.S. Coast Guard Rescue Coordination Center 24 hour Regional Contact for Emergencies

RCC Miami Commander

7th CG District Miami, FL (305) 415-6800

# Corrected through NM Apr. 10/10 Corrected through LNM Mar. 30/10

#### HEIGHTS

Heights in feet above Mean High Water.

#### AIDS TO NAVIGATION

Consult U.S. Coast Guard Light List for supplemental information concerning aids to

#### FOLLY RIVER

Folly River is subject to continual change

#### HORIZONTAL DATUM

The horizontal reference datum of this char is North American Datum of 1983 (NAD 83), which for charting purposes is considered equivalent to the World Geodetic System 1984 (WGS 84). Geographic positions referred to the North American Datum of 1927 must be corrected an average of 0.643" northward and 0.665" eastward

Navigation regulations are published in Chapter 2, U.S. Coast Pilot 4. Additions or revisions to Chapter 2 are published in the the regulations may be obtained at the Office of the Commander, 7th Coast Guard District in Miami, Fl. or at the Office of the District Engineer, Corps of Engineers in Charleston,

#### STONO INLET

The inlet is subject to continual change. Entrance buoys are not charted because they are frequently shifted in position.

#### NOAA WEATHER RADIO BROADCASTS

The NOAA Weather Radio stations listed below provide continuous weather broadcasts The reception range is typically 20 to 40 nautical miles from the antenna site, but can be much as 100 nautical miles for stations at high elevations.

KHB-29 WXJ-23 Charleston, S.C. 162.55 MHz

### RADAR REFLECTORS

Radar reflectors have been placed on many floating aids to navigation. Individual radar reflector identification on these aids has been mitted from this chart

## CAUTION

Temporary changes or defects in aids to navigation are not indicated on this chart. See Local Notice to Mariners.

### CAUTION

Improved channels shown by broken lines are subject to shoaling, particularly at the edges.

### POLLUTION REPORTS

Report all spills of oil and hazardous sub-stances to the National Response Center via 1-800-424-8802 (toll free), or to the nearest U.S. Coast Guard facility if telephone communication is impossible (33 CFR 153).

### INTRACOASTAL WATERWAY

The Intracoastal Waterway between the east and west limits of this chart is not completely shown. Use chart No. 11518. The project depth from Charleston, to Beaufort, S.C., is 12 feet.

The controlling depths are published periodically in the U.S. Coast Guard Local Notice

Mercator Projection Scale 1:40,000 at Lat. 32°37'

North American Datum of 1983 (World Geodetic System 1984)

SOUNDINGS IN FEET AT MEAN LOWER LOW WATER

## **Table of Selected Chart Notes**

#### SUBMARINE PIPELINES AND CARLES

Charted submarine pipelines and submarine cables and submarine pipeline and cable areas

Cable Area

Additional uncharted submarine pipelines and submarine cables may exist within the area of this chart. Not all submarine pipelines and sub-marine cables are required to be buried, and those that were originally buried may have become exposed. Mariners should use extreme caution when operating vessels in depths of water comparable to their draft in areas where pipelines and cables may exist, and when anchoring, dragging, or trawling.
Covered wells may be marked by lighted or

The prudent mariner will not rely solely on any single aid to navigation, particularly on floating aids. See U.S. Coast Guard Light List and U.S. Coast Pilot for details.

#### BASCULE BRIDGE CLEARANCES

For bascule bridges, whose spans do not open to a full upright o vertical position, unlimited vertical clearance is not available for the entire charted horizontal clearance.

Hydrography and topography by the National Ocean Service, Coast Survey, with additional data from the Corps of Engineers, Geological Survey, and U.S. Coast Guard.

#### SOURCE DIAGRAM

The outlined areas represent the limits of the most recent hydrographic survey information that has been evaluated for charting. Surveys have been banded in this diagram by date and type of survey. Channels maintained by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers are periodically resurveyed and are not shown on this diagram. Refer to Chapter 1, United States Coast Pilot.

#### HURRICANES AND TROPICAL STORMS

Hurricanes, tropical storms and other major storms may cause considerable damage to marine structures, aids to navigation and moored vessels, resulting in submerged debris in unknown locations.

Charted soundings, channel depths and shoreline may not reflect actual

conditions following these storms. Fixed aids to navigation may have been damaged or destroyed. Buoys may have been moved from their charted positions, damaged, sunk, exitinguished or otherwise made inoperative. Mariners should not rely upon the position or operation of an aid to

navigation. Wrecks and submerged obstructions may have been displaced from charted locations. Pipelines may have become uncovered or moved. Mariners are urged to exercise extreme caution and are requested to report aids to navigation discrepancies and hazards to navigation to the nearest United States Coast Guard unit.

### NOTE X

Within the 12-nautical mile Territorial Sea, established by Presidential Proclamation, some Federal laws apply. The Three Nautical Mile Line, previously identified as the outer limit of the territorial sea, is retained as it continues to depict the jurisdictional limit of the other laws. The 9-nautical mile Natural Resource Boundary off the Gulf coast of Florida, Florida and Florida and He Studied Mile Line elsewhere remain in most cases the inner limit of Federal fisheries jurisdiction and the outer limit of the jurisdiction of the states. The 24-nautical mile Contiguous Zone and the 200-nautical mile Exclusive Economic Zone were established by Presidential Proclamation. Unless fixed by treaty or the U.S. Supreme Court, these maritime limits are subject

TIDAL INFORMATION				
PLACE		Height referred to datum of soundings (MLLW)		
NAME	(LAT/LONG)	Mean Higher High Water	Mean High Water	Mean Low Water
Pennys Creek, West Entrance	(32°46'N/80°04'W)	feet 5.9	feet 5.6	feet 0.2
Elliott Cut Entrance, Stono River	(32°46'N/80°00'W)		5.4	0.2
Church Flats, Stono River	(32°45'N/80°10'W)		6.6	0.2
Yonges Island, Wadmalaw River	(32°42'N/80°13'W)	7.1	6.7	0.2
Toogoodoo Creek, 2 Miles above Entrance	(32°40'N/80°18'W)	7.0	6.6	0.2
Folly River North	(32°40'N/79°55'W)	6.0	5.6	0.2
Bluff Point, Wadmalaw River	(32°39'N/80°15'W)	6.7	6.3	0.2
Snake Island, Stono River	(32°38'N/80°01'W)	5.8	5.5	0.2
Steamboat Landing, Steamboat Creek	(32°36'N/80°17'W)	6.6	6.2	0.2
Rockville, Bohicket Creek	(32°36'N/80°12'W)	6.3	6.0	0.2
Pine of Pines, N. Edisto River	(32°35'N/80°14'W)	6.2	5.9	0.2
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water levels, tide predictions, and tidal current predictions are available on the Internet from http://tidesandcurrents.noaa.gov.

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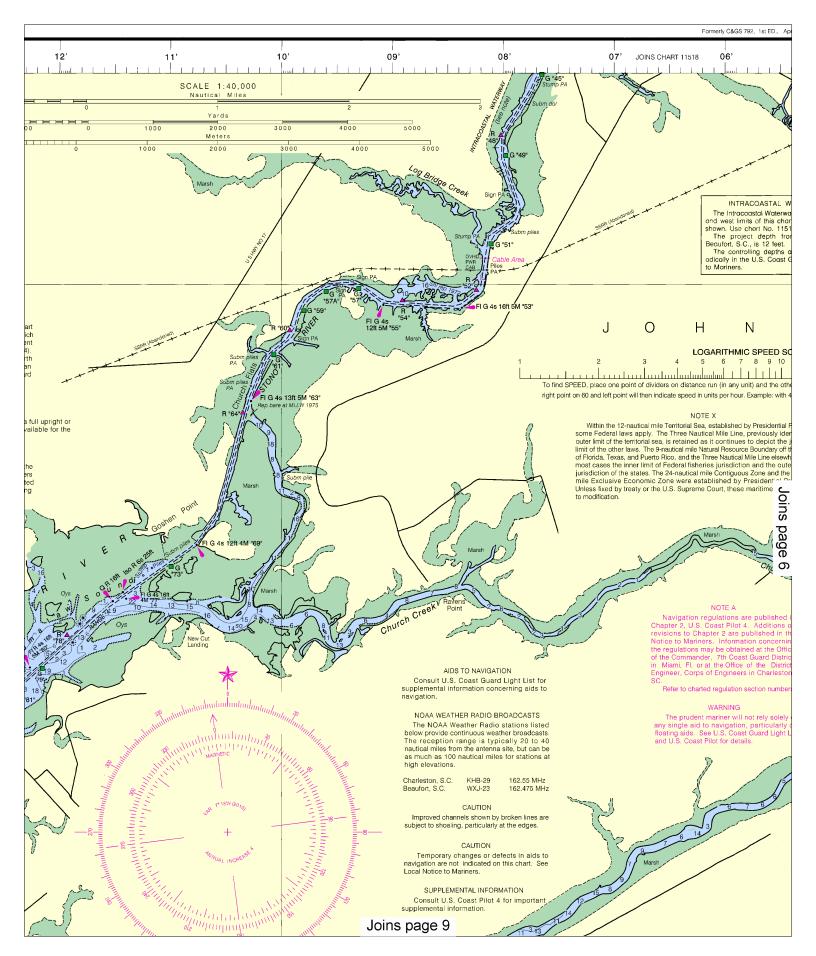
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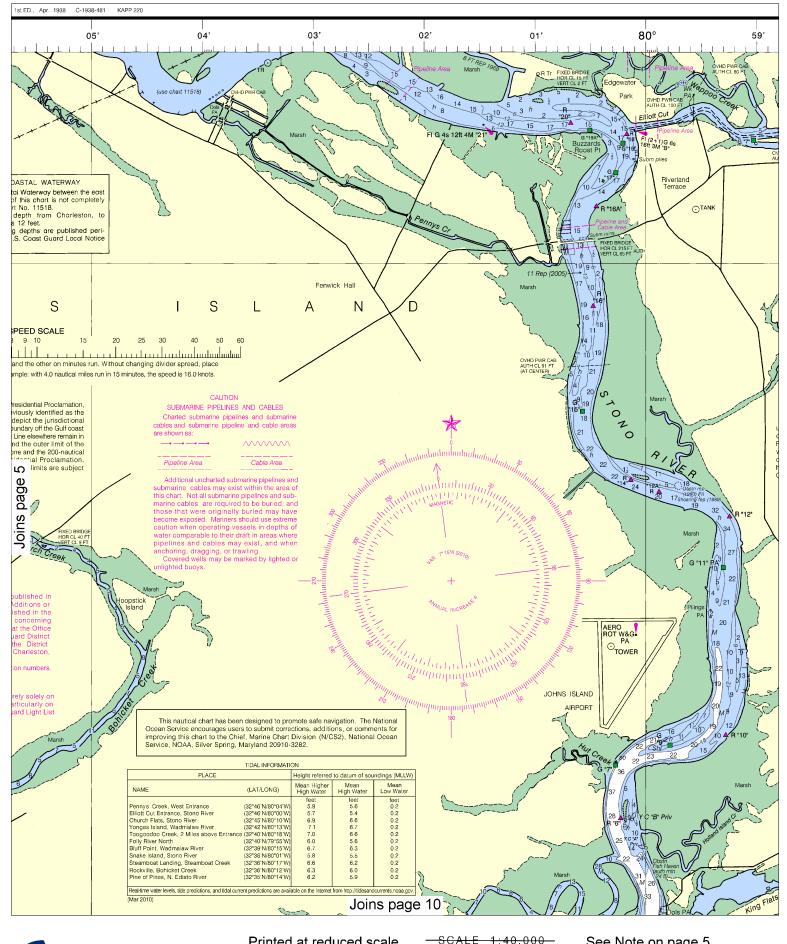
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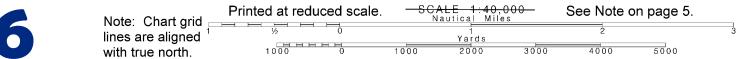
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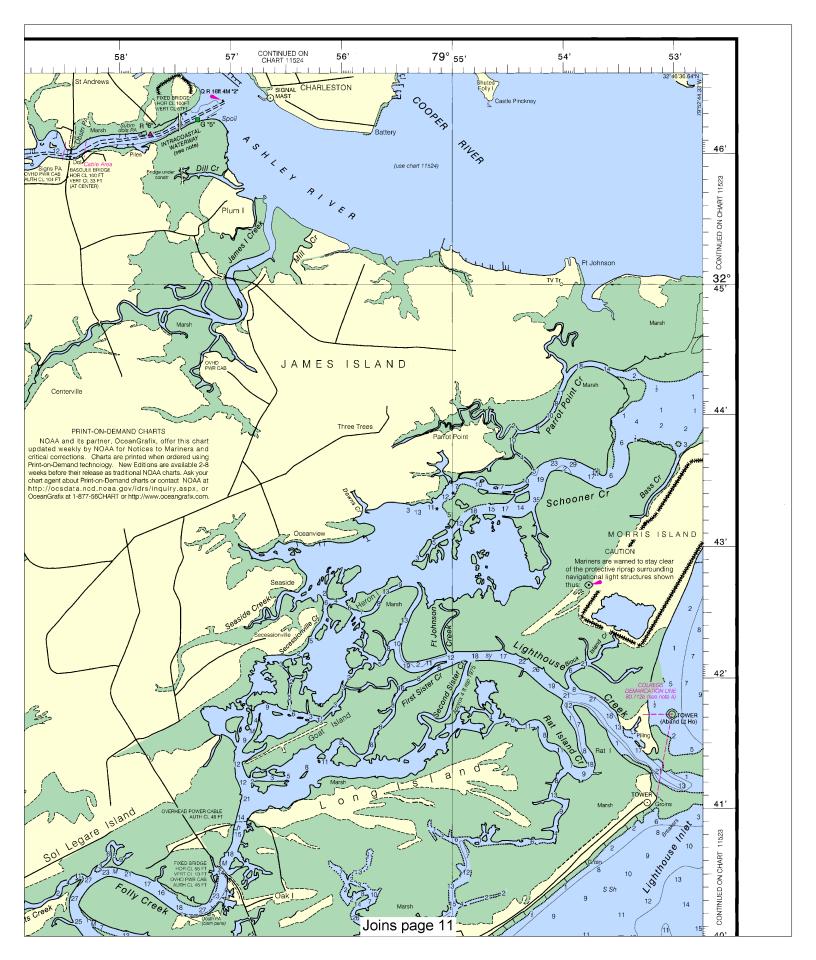


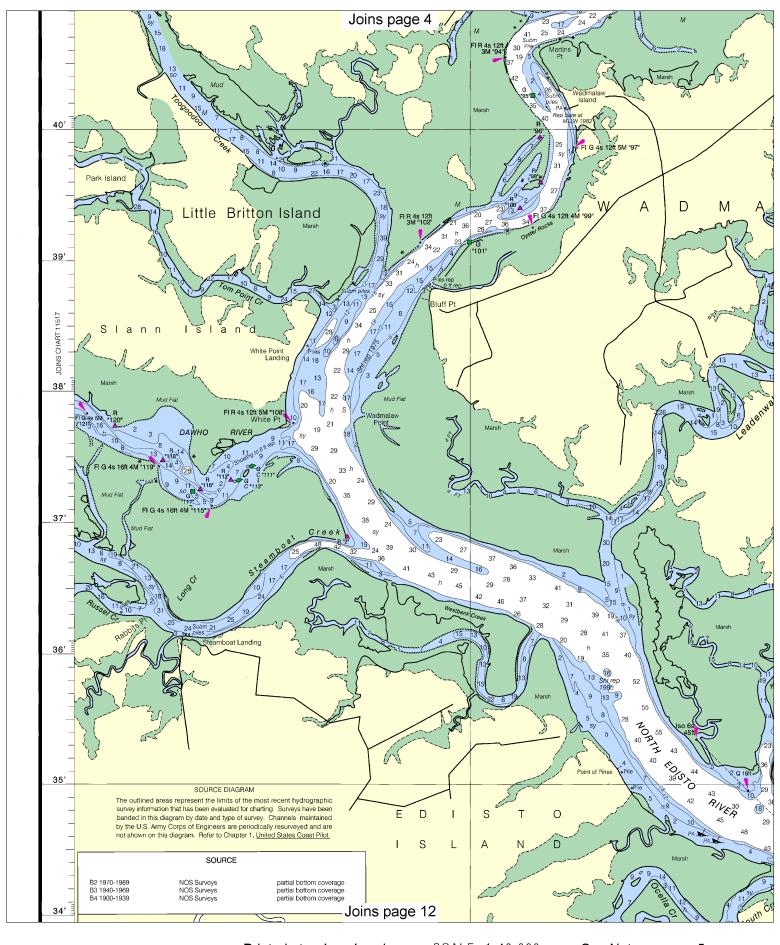
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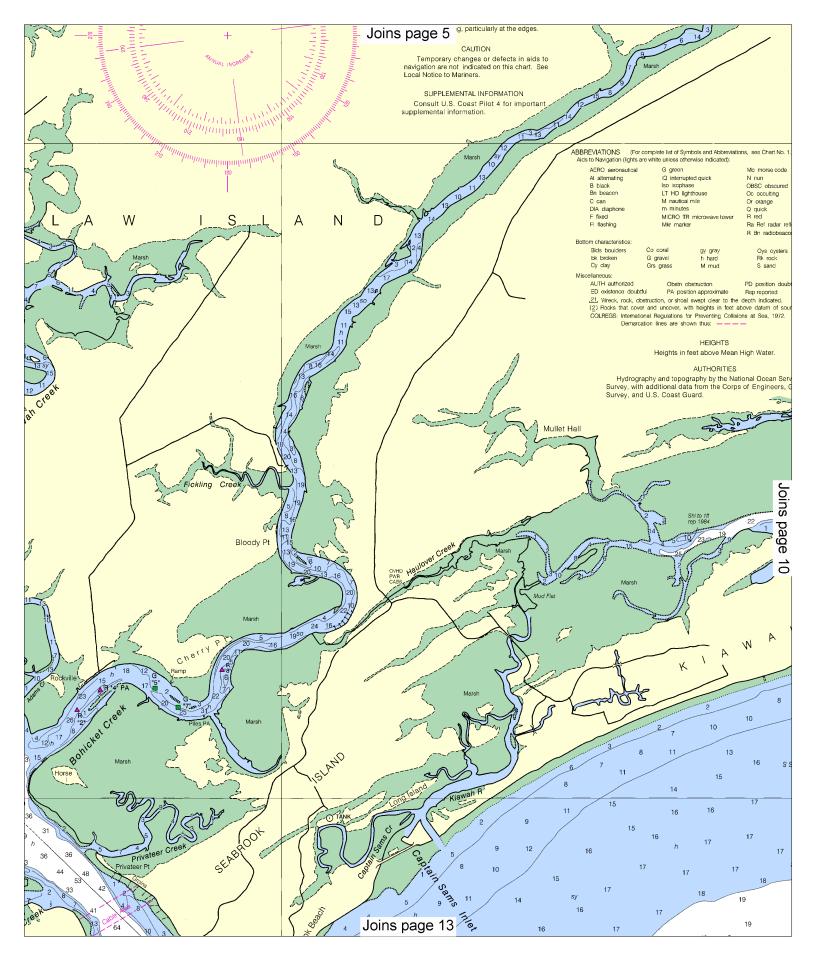
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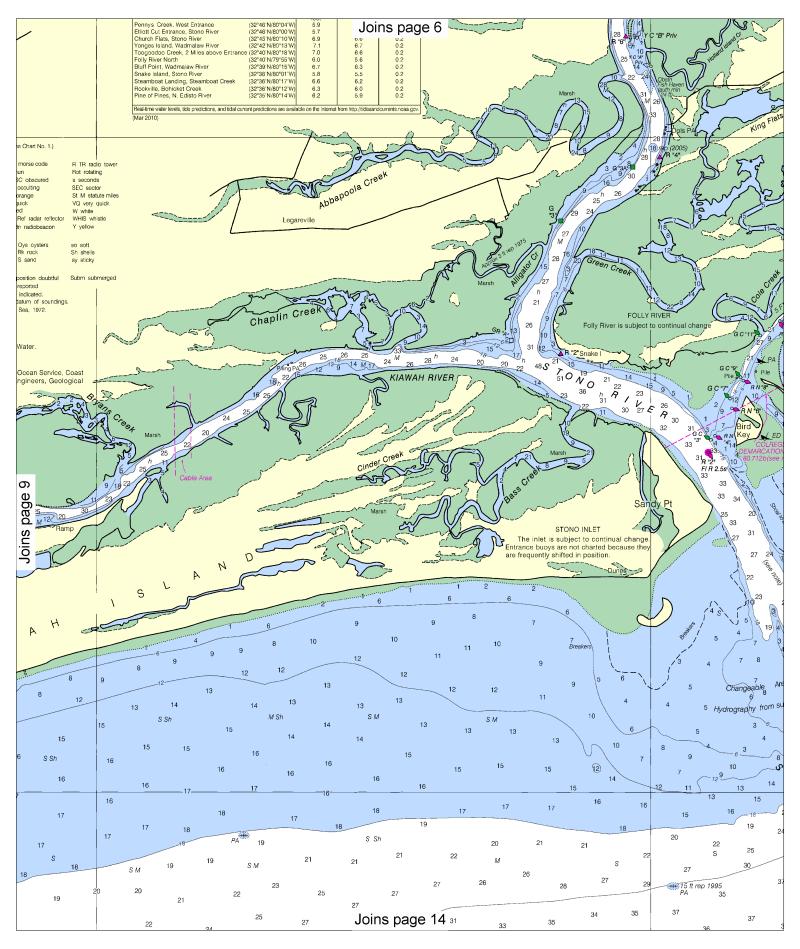
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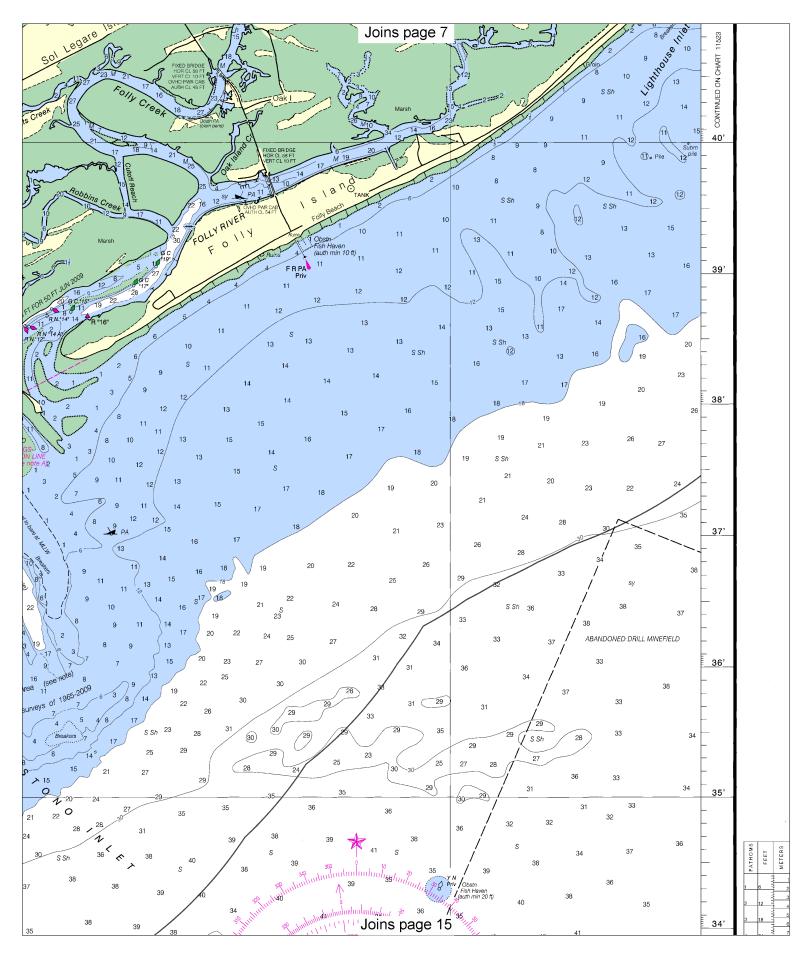


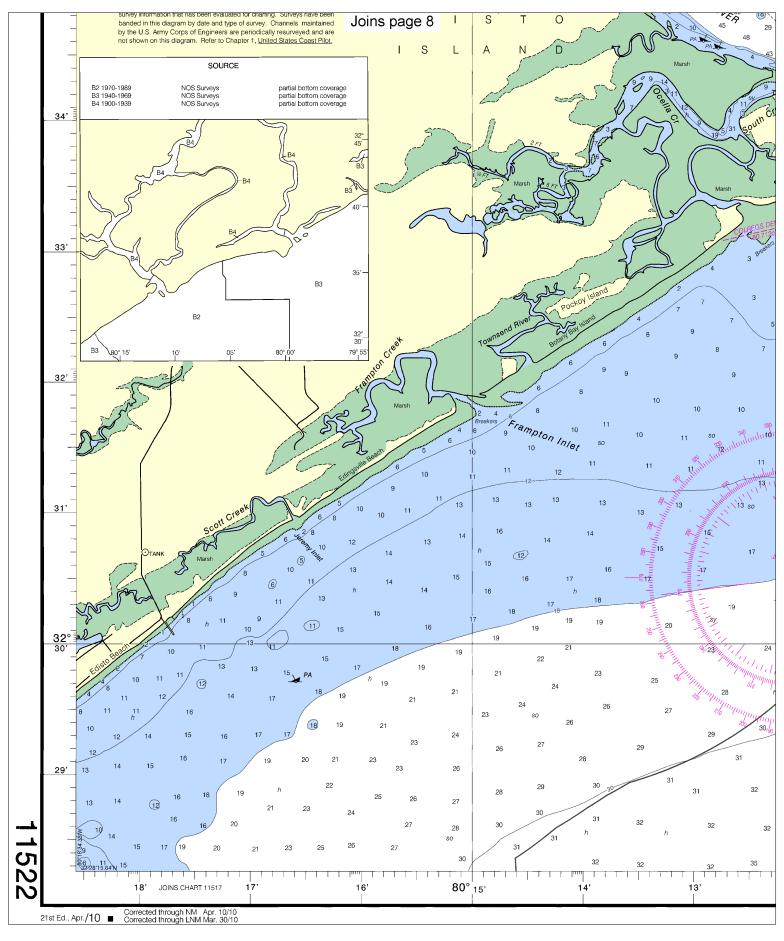


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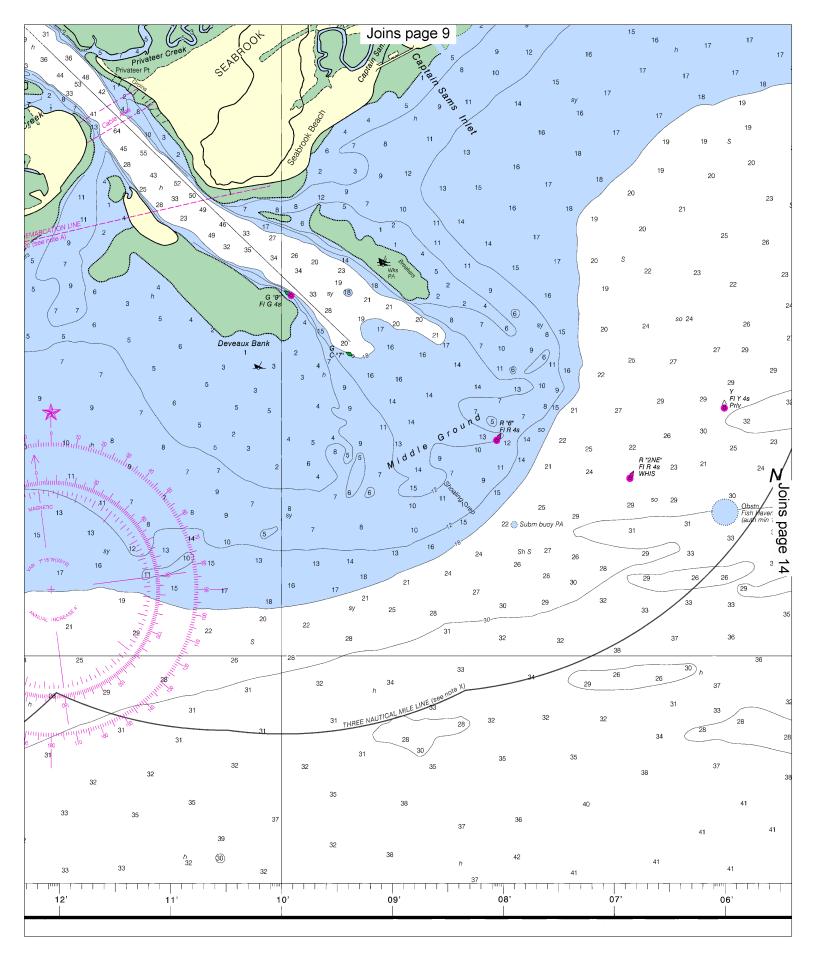
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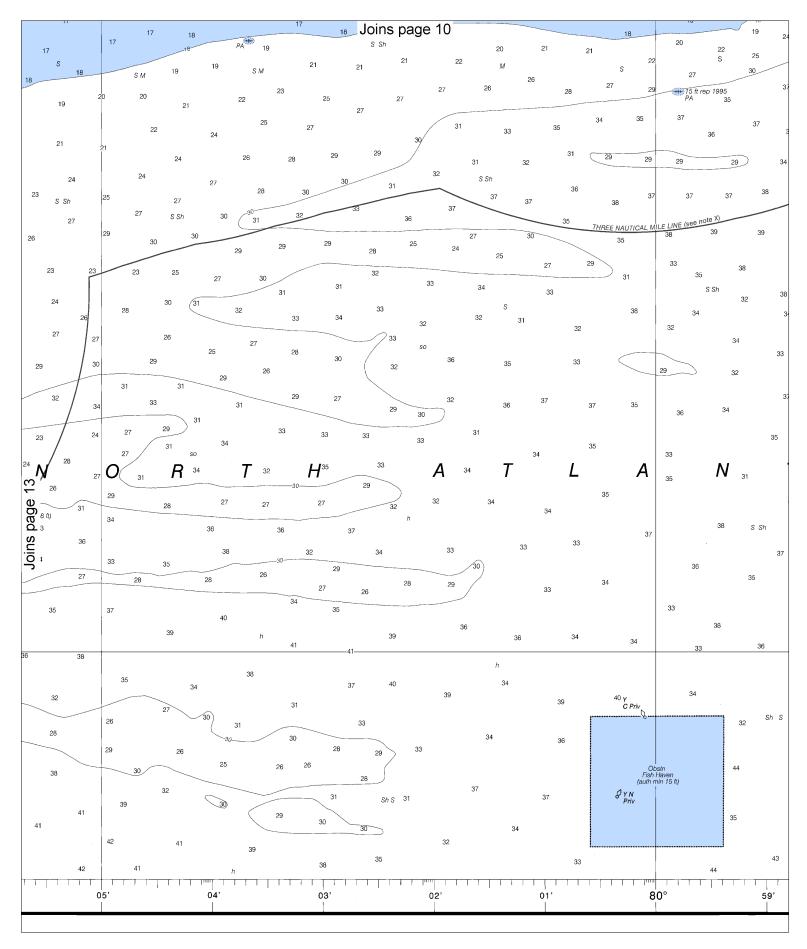
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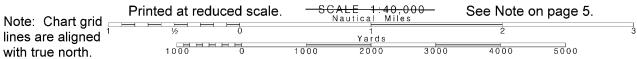
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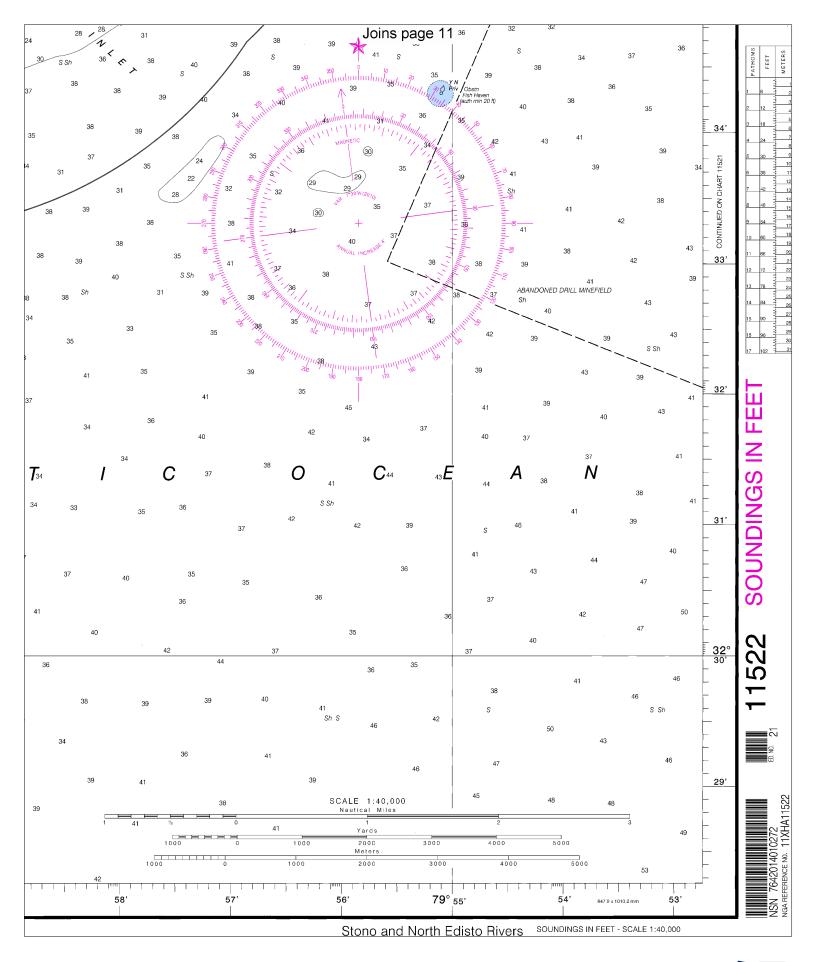
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## VHF Marine Radio channels for use on the waterways:

**Channel 6** – Inter-ship safety communications.

Channel 9 – Communications between boats and ship-to-coast.

Channel 13 – Navigation purposes at bridges, locks, and harbors.

Channel 16 – Emergency, distress and safety calls to Coast Guard and others, and to initiate calls to other

vessels. Contact the other vessel, agree to another channel, and then switch.

Channel 22A – Calls between the Coast Guard and the public. Severe weather warnings, hazards to navigation and safety warnings are broadcast here. Channels 68, 69, 71, 72 and 78A – Recreational boat channels.

**Getting and Giving Help** — Signal other boaters using visual distress signals (flares, orange flag, lights, arm signals); whistles; horns; and on your VHF radio. You are required by law to help boaters in trouble. Respond to distress signals, but do not endanger yourself.

## **Distress Call Procedures**

- Make sure radio is on.
- Select Channel 16.
- Press/Hold the transmit button.
- Clearly say: "MAYDAY, MAYDAY, MAYDAY."
- Also give: Vessel Name and/or Description; Position and/or Location; Nature of

Emergency; Number of People on Board.

- · Release transmit button.
- Wait for 10 seconds If no response Repeat MAYDAY call.

HAVE ALL PERSONS PUT ON LIFE JACKETS!



NOAA Weather Radio All Hazards (NWR) is a nationwide network of radio stations broadcasting continuous weather information directly from the nearest National Weather Service office. NWR broadcasts official Weather Service warnings, watches, forecasts and other hazard information 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

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